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**Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequences under 37 C.F.R § 1.821**

This communication is being filed in response to a Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequences that was mailed as part of an Office Action on September 9, 2003 in connection with the above referenced patent application. A response to this Notice to Comply was originally due on December 9, 2003. As part of this communication, Applicant is filing a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the deadline to file a response to March 9, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Applicants have also enclosed a copy of the Notice to Comply herein.



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